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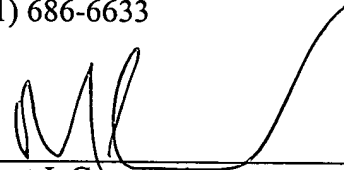
Dear Sir:

Kindly advise the undersigned as to when we should expect a next communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Group 2838 examining division regarding this case under a request for continued examination.

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